

MR. SPEAKER: You have not asked for the total cost, average cost you have asked.

SHRI K. P. UNNIKRISHNAN: Sir, I want to know what specifically he intends to do about the rational policy for his Ministry regarding the postings etc.

SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE: Sir, I have already said that the matter is under consideration. Before taking a decision, I will consult Members of Parliament, particularly those who belong to the Consultative Committee attached to my Ministry.

MR. SPEAKER: Question Hour is over.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Move to Debar Egypt from Attending Non-Aligned Summit

†*1156. SHRI K. S. VEERABHADRAPPA:

SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the countries who have sought the support for their move to debar Egypt from attending the non-aligned summit at Havana in September this year; and

(b) what are the details regarding India's stand in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE): (a) The Council of the League of Arab States held a meeting at Baghdad at the level of Arab Ministers for Foreign Affairs, Economy and Finance in the last week of March. The meeting was attended by all the Arab League States excepting Egypt, Sudan, Oman and Somalia. At the end of this meeting, certain resolutions were adopted, one of which was "to work towards the suspension of Egypt's membership from the non-aligned

movement." The recommendation flowed from intra-Arab differences on Egypt-Israel Treaties and the solution of West Asian problems.

(b) In our view, the united focus of the non-aligned movement must concentrate on a comprehensive and durable settlement by demanding the fulfilment of Palestine national rights and total vacation of Arab lands by Israel.

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क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) उन स्थानों के नाम क्या हैं जहाँ पर ललितपुर-सिगरौली रेलवे लाइन का सर्वेक्षण करने के लिये सर्वेक्षण कार्यालय स्थापित किये गये हैं ;

(ख) झांसी में सर्वेक्षण कार्यालय द्वारा सर्वेक्षण का कितना काम आरम्भ किया गया है और क्या सर्वेक्षण दल ने ललितपुर से टीकमगढ़ की ओर सर्वेक्षण आरम्भ किया है,

(ग) क्या छतरपुर और टीकमगढ़ में भी सर्वेक्षण कार्यालय स्थापित किये जा रहे हैं ; और

(घ) ललितपुर-सिगरौली रेलवे लाइन के सर्वेक्षण के लिये वर्ष 1979-80 के बजट में कितनी धनराशि रखी गई है और वर्ष 1978-79 के बजट में कितनी राशि रखी गई थी और उसमें से कितनी धनराशि का उपयोग किया गया था ?

रेल मंत्री (श्री० मधु दंडवते) :

(क) इस समय सर्वेक्षण शिविर निम्नलिखित स्थानों पर लगे हुए हैं :

- (1) ललितपुर
- (2) टीकमगढ़
- (3) माडला (के। नदी के समीप), और
- (4) रामपुर